STATE OF GEORGIA HENRY COUNTY CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE

RESOLUTION NO. R19-1105

A RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH THE MERLE MANDERS CONFERENCE CENTER AS THE CITY'S OFFICIAL POLLING LOCATION; TO PROVIDE FOR SEVERABILITY; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING RESOLUTIONS; TO PROVIDE JANUARY 1, 2010 AS THE EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the governing authority of the City of Stockbridge is the Mayor and Council thereof;

WHEREAS, the governing authority of the City of Stockbridge, Georgia desires to establish the Merle Manders Conference Center as the City's official polling location; and,

WHEREAS, the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Stockbridge, Georgia, will be positively impacted by the adoption of this Resolution.

NOW THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE HEREBY RESOLVES:

Section 1. The Merle Manders Conference Center shall serve as the City's official polling location for all elections occurring after January 1, 2020 in coordination with the Henry County Elections Office.

Section 2. The preamble of this Resolution shall be considered to be and is hereby incorporated by reference as if fully set out herein.

Section 3. (a) It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Mayor and Council that all sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Resolution are or were, upon their enactment, believed by the Mayor and Council to be fully valid, enforceable and constitutional.

(b) It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Mayor and Council that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, each and every section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution is severable from every other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution. It is hereby further declared to be the intention of the Mayor and Council that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, no section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution is mutually dependent upon any other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution.

(c) In the event that any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this Resolution shall, for any reason whatsoever, be declared invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, it is the express intent of the Mayor and Council that such invalidity, unconstitutionality or unenforceability shall, to the greatest extent allowed by law, not render invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs or sections of the Resolution and that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, all remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of the Resolution shall remain valid, constitutional, enforceable, and of full force and effect.

Section 4. All resolutions and parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.

Section 5. The effective date of this Resolution shall be January 1, 2020.

RESOLVED this 29^h day of October, 2019.

CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE, GEORGIA

Anthony S. Ford, Mayor

ATTEST/:

Vanessa Holiday, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Michael Williams, City Attorney